

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 169

By Beavers

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Mary Brown, 2003
Valedictorian of Macon County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Mary Brown is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2003 graduating class at Macon County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mary has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, she has earned an exemplary 4.67 weighted grade point average and a 4.00 unweighted grade point average; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of her stellar academic achievements, Mary was selected as a Finalist for the National Merit Scholarship; and

WHEREAS, she has also represented her school with distinction as a member of both the track and cross-country teams; and

WHEREAS, Mary's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Russell and Martha Brown, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Mary Brown's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor 2003 Macon County High School Valedictorian, Mary Brown, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.